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8 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
9 **SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

10 JPA FURNITURE, INC., on behalf of itself
11 and all others similarly situated,

12 Plaintiff,

13 vs.

14 GLOBAL CHECK SVC.,

15 Defendant.


Case No. 08cv0978 BEN (BLM)

**ORDER GRANTING JOINT MOTION
TO STAY**

16 Plaintiff JPA Furniture, Inc. has commenced this putative class action against Defendant
17 Global Check Services. Dkt. No. 1 (June 2, 2008). Defendant moved to dismiss the Complaint and
18 to strike the prayer for punitive damages. Dkt. No. 8 (July 25, 2008). The parties now jointly move
19 to stay the proceedings for two weeks. Dkt. No. 9 (Aug. 25, 2008). Because a stay will allow the
20 parties additional time to negotiate a settlement, their joint motion is granted. The September 8, 2008
21 hearing date for Defendant's pending motions is vacated; hearing is reset for October 6, 2008, at 10:30
22 a.m. Plaintiff shall respond to Defendant's pending motions on or before September 22, 2008.

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25 IT IS SO ORDERED.

26 Dated: September 2, 2008

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Roger F. Benitez
United States District Judge